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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.  
61181-00003USPX

Application No. 10/036185-Conf. #4873	Filing Date December 28, 2001	Examiner P. R. Myers	Art Unit 2112
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Applicant(s): Michele Borgatti et al.

Invention: ELECTRONIC SYSTEM HAVING MODULAR EXPANSION FUNCTION FACILITIES

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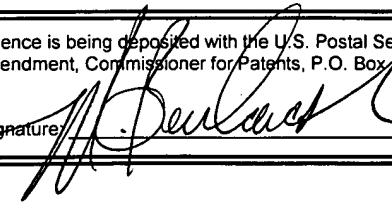
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Dated: June 13, 2005

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## FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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### Complete if Known

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### FEE CALCULATION

#### 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

#### 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

##### Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Small Entity	
Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
50	25
200	100
360	180

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple Dependent Claims	
Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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Multiple dependent claims

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
12	- 20 =	x	=

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Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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#### 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

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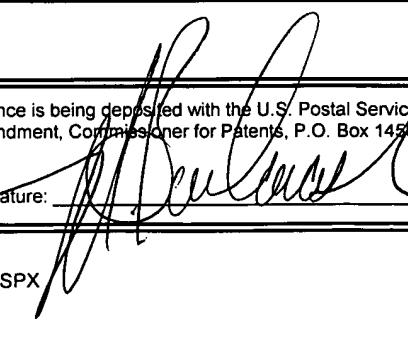
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

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1201	200.00	1.16(h)	Independent claims in excess of three	Fee Transmittal (PTO SB-17)



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PATENT APPLICATION  
Docket No. 61181-3uspx

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:

Borgatti, et al.

Serial No. 10/036,185

Filed December 28, 2001

For: Electronic System Having Modular Expansion Function Facilities

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**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Official Action dated March 14, 2005, reconsideration and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested and believed to be appropriate in view of the following remarks:

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